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TO : Director of Training

DATE: 17 September 1959

FROM : Chief, Plans and Policy Staff

SUBJECT: Weekly Activity Report #35

1. Contingency Force Training

a. Col. L. K. White, DD/S, was the guest speaker at the opening meeting of Agency Reserve Units' 1959-60 training year. He made a strong pitch for broadening the current training objective to include training in Contingency Force or Contingency Task Force-type programs and operations, including the support of such operations. The present objective concerns Hot War programs only.

b. Another meeting was held with Mr. [] [], on 15 September 1959 to discuss training for Contingency Force personnel, with reference to his memorandum for [] dated 26 August 1959, with attachment, []

[] reported on [] capability, as of 1 October 1959, of handling Air Operations, Clandestine Field Activities, and TSS/Maritime-type training of the sort indicated for CF members. After a lengthy discussion, in which [], [] participated, it was decided that:

(1) A seminar, sponsored and run by [] should be arranged [] to enable senior, qualified CF officers to discuss CF and PM doctrine applicable to the training and to possible operational requirements. ACTION: []

(2) A refresher course for CF personnel should be organized, to be conducted []. ACTION: [], through [] will be asked to prepare an outline (syllabus) for a recommended course to meet the requirement, to recommend possible open dates for an initial running of an approved course, and to cite the postponements or cancellations of other requirements involved if the open dates are not acceptable or if none are available.

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25X1 (3) A CF planning course or seminar also will be required; however, OTR can only support but not present such a course. ACTION: []

(4) JOTP

25X1 (a) The proposed, one-year comprehensive [] training for former JOT's will require further study by PPS and C/OS. ACTION: defer until study is accomplished.

25X1 (b) [] has proposed revisions to the Operations Course (for OC #9) which will permit greater emphasis and coverage of [] ACTION: review by DTR and DD/P.

25X1 (c) An opportunity exists for C/PP and [] to enlighten the new JOT's [] activities during the current orientation program.

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25X1 (5) Mr. [] was urged to consult with the new head of the [] Operations Course concerning inclusion of CF material in the revised CAO course. ACTION: [] 25X1

2. Educational Specialist

25X1 [] has been monitoring the TSS Authentication Course and some of the lectures in Mrs. [] Operations Support Cour25X1

3. Language Development Program

25X1 Mr. [] report on the Language Development Program has been reviewed and a reply prepared in draft which is now being staffed out with LAS.

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